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NO USE FOR MONEY

Mont Pelee Relief Fund Compelled to Lay Idle.

ALL PEOPLE WERE KILLED

Fund Raised for the Volcano Sufferers, by New York City Cannot be Used For Anything Else.

NEW YORK, May 14.—Mayor McClellan, after looking up the law says that it will require a constitutional amendment to permit the city to spend the money raised to aid the sufferers in the Mont Pelee disaster. About \$1400 was sent in and the names of the subscribers are lost. As all the people near Mont Pelee were killed and there was no call for the money it was not sent forward. Money in the custody of the city to be spent for a specific purpose cannot be spent for anything else.

The money was raised about four years ago, when Mayor Low was at the city hall, and someone lost the names of the givers.

The money has been on deposit for the last four years, and is drawing interest at the rate of 2 per cent. "I am informed by people in the finance department," said the Mayor yesterday, "that we are likely to have the Martinique fund with us indefinitely. I also am informed that even at 2 per cent the fund will double itself every forty-four years, and that in one thousand years this modest fund, if left undisturbed, will amount to the tidy sum of \$12,000,000,000.

It has been suggested that there may be a possible claimant for the fund in the person of the negro convict confined in the jail at Martinique at the time

the disaster. He joined a circus as a man was the only human survivor of the disaster. He joined a circus as a freak the year after the disaster.

MANILA SOON TO HAVE FINE HARBOR

Deep Water Port Assured by Government Expenditure of \$6,000,000.

The City of Manila will soon have one of the deepest and best protected harbors in the Orient, according to H. C. De Land, Government harbor engineer at that city. Mr. De Land came over on the British steamer Empress of India and landed at Victoria, B. C. He is on a 30-day leave of absence.

"The harbor of Manila," he says, "has undergone a complete change, and when finished all steamers that ply the Pacific will be able to cast anchor and tie at the wharf. The breakwater, which formerly protected the mouth of the Pasig River, has been extended far out into the bay, and a depth of 30 feet has already been obtained near the mouth of the Pasig and 10 feet along the old water front. Dredging is in progress. The contract for this work was let to the Atlantic Gulf & Pacific Dredging Company, and when the harbor is completed it will have cost the Government about \$6,000,000."

The natives of Luzon Island, Mr. De Land says, are rapidly adopting modern methods of agriculture and using up-to-date machinery, especially in the cultivation of rice, which, under Spanish rule, was grown under the most primitive means. The people are handicapped by a serious shortage of money, and a commercial bank which would make a business of loaning money in advance on agricultural crops is needed. There is no such institution there at present, and the most exorbitant rates of interest are charged by brokers.

"The annihilation of the barbarous band of Moros by the American troops several months ago was not a massacre in the common sense of the term, and was absolutely necessary to preserve order on the island," he said. "Since the battle, in which the whole band was exterminated, it has been discovered that the outlaws had a blind trail by which they could have escaped unseen, but, faithful to their religious belief, they stood their ground and fought to the last, because they believed that the only way to get to heaven was to die killing Christians."

WITHYCOMBE SPEAKS TO LINN REPUBLICANS

Receives Hearty Demonstration From Voters at Albany Meeting.

ALBANY, Or., May 14.—In one of the most successful political gatherings held in Linn County in many years, the 1906 campaign was opened Saturday evening with an enthusiastic Republican rally. Most of the Republican State candidates were present and the large opera house was filled with people from many parts of Linn County.

The principal address of the evening was delivered by James Withycombe nominee for Governor. He outlined his policies eloquently and called attention to weak points in the administration of his opposing candidates.

The other speakers were Attorney-General A. M. Crawford, Willis S. Dunaway, nominee for State Printer, and F. W. Muley, nominee for United States Senator for the short term. Mr. Dunaway made a strong plea for the entire ticket.

State Chairman George A. Westgate, whose home is in this city, presided at the meeting, which was opened by J. S. Van Winkle, chairman of the Linn County central committee.

All candidates were enthusiastically received, Mr. Withycombe receiving an especially hearty demonstration. Music for the occasion was furnished by the Corvallis band and the Withycombe quartet.

Who are the sweetest things that painters paint, or poets sing, lovelier than anything? Girls who take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. Sold by Frank Hart, druggist.

TO ADVOCATE PEACE

International Arbitration Conference Will Meet Soon.

NOTED SPEAKERS ARE COMING

Much Attention Will be Paid to the Approaching Hague Conference, and the Questions to Come Up.

MOHONK LAKE, N. Y., May 14.—Arrangements are practically completed for the twelfth annual meeting of the Lake Mohonk Conference on international arbitration which meets here May 30-June 1. Colonel John W. Foster, former secretary of state, will preside. Richard Barthold, congressman from Missouri and president of the Inter-parliamentary Union, will speak on "The Introduction of the Peace Movement in Practical Politics," and other leading addresses will be made by Cardinal Gibbons, H. St. George Tucker, of Virginia; Sifton R. Breckenridge, former Minister to Russia; James Brown Scott of the State Department; Justice Charles B. Elliott of the Minnesota Supreme Court, and Benjamin F. Trueblood of Boston. Much attention will be paid to the approaching Hague conference, the discussion of which will be led by William L. Penfield of Washington, who represented the United States in the first two cases before the Hague Tribunal. The Pan-American conference will be discussed by Charles M. Pepper, special Pan-American railway commissioner and one of the delegates to the meeting of the conference in Mexico in 1901 and by Dr. Leo S. Rowe, of Philadelphia, a delegate to the approaching meeting at Rio Janeiro. A session devoted largely to educators will be opened by Dr. Daniel C. Gilman late of Johns Hopkins, who will present the report of a committee which within a year has secured the introduction of special study of international arbitration in nearly one-third of the colleges and universities of the United States. Another session will be given to delegates from some forty business organizations, including the Chambers of Commerce of Albany, Baltimore, Boston, New Haven, Buffalo, Rochester, Syracuse, Cincinnati, Denver, Colorado Springs, and Honolulu; the boards of

trade of New York, Philadelphia, Providence, Springfield, Mass.; Portland, Me.; Toronto, Scranton, Pa.; Wheeling, W. Va.; Little Rock, Nashville, and Portland Ore.; the St. Louis foreign trade association, the Merchants' Associations of New York and Boston, the Trades' League of Philadelphia, and the Colorado State Commercial Association.

Others who will participate in the conference include Edward Everett Hale, President Eliot of Harvard, Justice Brewer of the United States Supreme Court, Senators Heyburn of Idaho and Scott of West Virginia, Representatives Littlefield, McCleary, Bowersock, Burton, Ohio; Samuel R. Thayer, ex-minister to the Netherlands, and Mayor D. P. Jones of Minneapolis; Bartlett Tripp of South Dakota, ex-minister to Australia; Chief Justice Knowlton of Massachusetts and McClain, of Iowa; J. M. Dickinson of Chicago; Robert Smith, Joseph Skippen of Seattle, Wash.; L. E. Holden of Cleveland; President Warfield of Lafayette College; Professors Brumbaugh of the University of Pennsylvania; and Gregory of Iowa State University, and other prominent educators.

SEARCHLIGHTS SUBDUED ZULUS.

Awe-Stricken Natives Regard Display as Eye of Almighty.

DURBAN, Natal, May 14.—Searchlights promise to prove as effective weapons to subduing the seditious Zulus as the British guns, judging from the display given last night by Native Commissioner Saunders before a huge gathering of Zulus at the Khandahala headquarters of the punitive force. The natives were awe-stricken, and regarded the searchlight as the eye of the Almighty, and said that God has turned upon them in his anger. The flashing of the light on the surrounding hills, bringing in plain view the Katir trails as far as the horizon, powerfully impressed the Zulus, who when the light was suddenly flashed in their faces covered and fell on the ground before what they termed the "latest witchcraft of the whites."

Postmaster Robbed.

G. W. Fouts, postmaster at Riverton, Ia., nearly lost his life and was robbed of all comfort, according to his letter, which says: "For twenty years I had chronic liver complaint, which led to such a severe case of jaundice that even my finger nails turned yellow; when my doctor prescribed Electric Bitters; which cured me and have kept me well for eleven years." Sure cure for Biliousness, Neuralgia, Weakness and all stomach, Liver, Kidney and Bladder derangements. A wonderful Tonic. At Charles Rogers' drug store. 50 cents.

GOING TO EUROPE.

NEW YORK, May 14.—Dr. Rufus P. Johnston resigned the pastorate of the Fifth Avenue Baptist Church yesterday. The resignation is to take effect on June 30. The announcement of the resignation was in the form of a statement read by Dr. Johnston at yesterday's services. The reason that he gives in this statement is that it has long been his wish to spend some time in travel and study in Europe, and that he feels that he has an imperative need of rest. He recounts the pleasant relations between himself and the congregation and the success of the church work. Among the members of the church are John D. Rockefeller and his son, the latter conducting a bible class in the Sunday school.

ROSEBURG BOY KIDNAPPED MAYBE

Thorough Search Fails to Reveal the Whereabouts of "Babe" Rapp.

ROSEBURG, Or., May 14.—Nothing has been heard of "Babe" Rapp since his appearance last Thursday night, although every effort has been made to discover his whereabouts. Local officers have made thorough search over the whole city, and at every station the officers north and south have been notified to look out for him and his alleged abductor. Every railroad crew that leaves this station makes thorough search of its train for the missing lad.

Young Hattabough, who is said to have enticed the 6-year-old lad to run away, took with him his bootblack outfit and other articles he always carries when on his protracted trips.

Mr. Rapp, father of the missing youngster, wished to offer a reward for news of his lost child, but friends have advised him that it is too early for such a step, and he says he is willing to spend every cent he possesses to find his child. It is the opinion of Roseburg people that heads older than 12 years know something about the mysterious disappearance of "Babe" Rapp. It is argued that two youngsters could not evade the police and railroad train crews for so long a time.

When last seen "Babe" Rapp was dressed as follows: Blue corduroy cap, khaki colored shirt, black coat with wide pleat down front on each side, gray corduroy pants, black school shoes almost new and black stockings. He is fair-complexioned and has a scar on the right cheek about two inches long, visible on close examination; also a scar on his upper lip, caused by an operation.

SERIOUS EXPLOSION.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., May 14.—There was an explosion at the works of the Union Metallic Cartridge Company at Stratford at 4:25 o'clock this morning. So far as known for some time later there was no loss of life. The shock was severely felt in this city, where many windows were shattered. Reports of similar damage are received from New Haven, Derby and other places. Much alarm was occasioned, as it was first believed there had been an earthquake.

Cuba is receiving a large influx of Spaniards. It is said that something like five thousand or six thousand immigrants are arriving every month and going into the interior to develop the sugar and tobacco industry.

A Mountain of Gold.

could not bring as much happiness to Mrs. Lucia Wilke, of Caroline, Wis., and did not one 25c box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, when it completely cured a running sore on her leg, which had tortured her twenty-three years. Greatest antiseptic healer of Piles, Wounds, and Sores. 25c at Charles Rogers' drug store.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

The recent fire on Astor street disclosed a state of affairs that is intolerable. Old mattresses, umbrellas, broken furniture, rags and combustible filth of all descriptions are thrown into the back yards of the houses. Such refuse makes good kindling for fires and furnishes food for flames, thereby endangering the lives and property of the people. This condition of affairs obtains, not only on Astor street, but also on Bond, Commercial and other streets; and after consultation with the Committee on Fire and Water, it has been decided to give public notice to all concerned, that all such premises must be cleaned up within thirty days from date. At the expiration of that period, members of the Committee on Fire and Water, together with the Chief of Police and Chief of the Fire Department, will make a tour of inspection, and all corporations, firms or individuals, failing to clean up will be prosecuted, in accordance with the ordinances of the city. HERMAN WISE, Mayor. Astoria, May 7, 1906.

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